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DEVELOPMENT IN MIAMI - JANUARY 18-21, 1978

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1. DRAFT PROGRAM CONTAINED REFTEL STRIKES US AS PROVIDING
A GOOD FRAMEWORK FOR A HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL CONFERENCE. HOWEVER,
IN OUR CASE, WE HAVE AN IMMEDIATE PROBLEM WITH BARBADIAN
PARTICIPATION AS OUTLINED.

2. DEPUTY PRIMIN BERNARD ST. JOHN WHO HAS FOLLOWED
THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CONFERENCE FROM ITS EARLY STAGES HAS
SEVERAL TIMES TOLD ME THAT HE IS PLANNING TO ATTEND THE
CONFERENCE. THERE IS NO WAY HE CAN BE EXCLUDED FROM IT WITHOUT
GRIEVOUS OFFENSE. WE THEREFORE HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO INVITE
ST. JOHN. I HAVE HELD UP LETTERS OF INVITATION TO FOREIGN
MINISTER FORDE AND MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE BOLDEN. I WOULD
RECOMMEND ST. JOHN BE INVITED INSTEAD OF FORDE, ALTHOUGH
BECAUSE OF HIS RANK SOME CONSIDERATION MIGHT BE GIVEN TO
GIVING HIM A MORE PROMINENT ROLE IN THE CONFERENCE. I
BELIEVE MINISTER AGRICULTURE BOLDEN WOULD ALSO ATTEND
IF INVITED. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST YOUR CONCURRENCE.

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3. FYI: DESPITE THE NAME, MR. JEAN HOLDER IS A
MALE PERSON.
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